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NOTIFICATIONS RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF PANCHAYAT RAJ

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STATE ELECTION COMMISSION

DISQUALIFICATION ORDERS FOR FAILURE TO LODGE FINAL ACCOUNTS OF ELECTION EXPENSES IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN CONTESTED CANDIDATES TO THE OFFICE OF WARD MEMBERS OF NUZVID MUNICIPALITY, KRISHNA DISTRICT DURING THE 3rd ORDINARY ELECTIONS HELD IN 2005.

No. 607/SEC-F2/2007-1.—WHEREAS, the third ordinary elections Municipal Corporations and Municipalities were conducted in the month of September, 2005 and the results were declared on 26-09-2005;

AND WHEREAS, under section 343-ZC of APM Act, 1965 every candidate at any election held under this Act shall, either by himself, or by his election agent, keep a separate and correct account of all expenditure incurred in connection with the election, between the date of which the candidate concerned has been nominated and the date of declaration of the result of the election, both dates inclusive and the account of election expenses shall contain such particulars, as may by order, specified by the State Election Commission;

AND WHEREAS, the State Election Commission in its order No.633/SEC-F1/2005, dt: 03-08-2005 prescribed the procedure and formats in which the accounts of election expenditure shall be maintained by the candidates.

AND WHEREAS, under section 343-ZD of APM Act, 1965 every contesting candidate at an election shall, within forty five days from the date of declaration of results of the election, lodge with the District Election Authority, an account of his election expenses, which shall be a true copy of the account kept by him, or by his election agent, under Section 343-ZC.

AND WHEREAS, the period of 45 days from the date of declaration of results of ordinary elections to Municipalities expired on 09-11-2005;

AND WHEREAS, as per the SECs order No.633/SEC-F1/2005, dt. 03-08-2005, the Collector and District Election Authority, Krishna District has sent a report to the State Election Commission furnishing a list of contested candidates of Nuzvid Municipality, who failed to lodge final accounts of election expenses within the stipulated time of 45 days to the State Election Commission to take necessary penal action as per the provisions of APM Act, 1965 and Rules issued there under;

AND WHEREAS, unde section 15 B of APM Act, 1965 read with the Commission Order No.633/SEC-F1/2005, dt. 03-08-2005 the State Election Commission issued show cause notices vide No.607/SEC-F2/2007, dt. 19-05-2007 to the contested candidates in Nuzvid Municipality indicated in the Annexure who failed to lodge final accounts of election expenses within the stipulated time and in the manner required under the Act and the rules calling upon them to show cause within 20 days from the date of receipt of the notices as to why they should not be disqualified under the provisions of section 15-B of APM Act, 1965 for their failure;

AND WHEREAS, the State Election Commission received a report from the Collector and District Election Authority, Krishna District vide his letter **No.H1/2163/2007, dt. 11-06-2008** informing that the show-cause notices were served on the contested candidates of Nuzvid Municipality by the Municipal Commissioner, Nuzvid and they failed to submit any reply/representation in response to the show-cause notices issued within 20 days from the date of its receipt by the candidates concerned;

AND WHEREAS, the State Election Commission received a report from the Collector and District Election Authority, Krishna District vide his letter **No.H1/2163/2007, dt. 22-9-2008** informing that (i) Smt. Gorrela Lakshmi, ward No.1, (ii) Sri Banavathu Sriramulu, ward No. 8 and (iii) Smt. Legu Vijaya, Ward No. 23 have neither submitted medical certificates in support of their explanation for late submission of their election expenditure nor submitted any further explanation so far, even after the receipt of the Municipal Commissioner endorsement dated 20.11.2008 and recommended that the above (3) contested (defeated) candidates may be disqualified for contesting in future elections as per election laws.

AND WHEREAS, the candidates indicated in the annexure have thus not furnished any reason or satisfactory explanation for their failure even after due notice to each of them and the Commission is satisfied that they have no good reason or justification for the said failure;

AND WHEREAS, the State Election Commission is satisfied that each of the contested candidate indicated in the annexure appended to this order had contested the third ordinary elections held in 2005 to Nuzvid Municipality and failed to lodge the account of his/her expenses as required by law;

NOW THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 15-B of APM Act, 1965, the State Election Commission hereby, declares the (26) contested candidates of Nuzvid Municipality specified in column no.4 of the annexure appended to this order to be ineligible for a period of 3 years from the date of issue of this order to contest any election to be held for any office under the provisions of APM Act, 1965.

ANNEXURE

Sl. No.	Name of the Municipality	Ward No.	Name of the Contested candidate
1	Nuzvid	1	Smt. Gorrela Lakshmi
2		7	Smt. Shiva Raju Vasundhara Devi
3		8	Sri Banavathu Sri Ramulu
4		8	Sri Bukya nageshwara Rao
5		10	Smt. Latike Anuradha
6		10	Smt. Draksharam Mani
7		11	Smt. Ayyala Suseela
8		11	Smt. Mallisetty Dorasani
9		11	Smt. Ankam Satyavathi
10		13	Sri Prathipati Amrutharaju
11		14	Sri Akkineni janardhana Rao
12		15	Smt. Loya Ramadevi
13		17	Smt. Mocherla Suseela
14		18	Sri Chebattina Koteswara Rao
15		20	Sri Darsi Ravikanth
16		21	Sri Pagadala Venkata Jagan Mohana Rao
17		21	Sri Kolusu Satyanarayana
18		22	Smt. Puli Sai Leela Kumari
19		23	Smt. Lagu Vijaya
20		25	Sri Vemareddy Venkata Siva Nagaraju
21		26	Sri Mallisetty Murali Krishna Rao
22		27	Smt. Mareedu Krishna Kumari
23		28	Sri Nakka Krishna
24		29	Smt. Kundeti Siva Kumari
25		29	Smt. Gunnala Ratna Kumari
26		29	Smt. Mallavalli Venkateswaramma

Secunderabad,
18-02-2009.

J. SUDHA RANI,
Secretary.

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